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List of candidates nominated by States parties: withdrawal of a candidate

Note by the Secretary-General

Addendum

By a note verbale dated 17 April 2017, the Permanent Mission of Saudi Arabia to the United Nations informed me of the decision of its Government to withdraw the nomination of Mohammed Saleh al-Shehri from the list of candidates for election to the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf (see annex).

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Annex

Note verbale dated 17 April 2017 from the Permanent Mission of Saudi Arabia to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

The Permanent Mission of Saudi Arabia to the United Nations, with reference to the earlier nomination of Mohammed Saleh al-Shehri to the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf for the term 2017-2022, wishes to convey the decision of the Government of Saudi Arabia to withdraw this candidature.

The Secretary-General is kindly requested to withdraw the name of Mohammed Saleh al-Shehri from the list of candidates to the Commission for the term 2017-2022 and the name, therefore, should not be on the list for the forthcoming elections in June 2017.